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Dear Sir:

This paper is a timely response to an Office Action mailed November 26, 2004 ("the Office Action"). The deadline for responding to the Office Action in a timely manner is extended to Monday, February 28, 2005 since February 26, 2005 is a Saturday and February 27, 2005 is a Sunday. In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 1-24, 32-43, 51-77, 85-105, 112-123 and 164.